

Dear All

This brings all the news and notices from Holy Trinity Coventry for the weekend, October 17-18th 2026, and the week ahead.

Date	Service/Event	Theme and/or Reading
Sunday 18 October Luke the Evangelist	Morning Workshop – 9.30am	Preacher: Revd. Carolyn Powell 2 Tim 3:10-17
	Holy Communion – 11.15am (Baptism)	Preacher: Revd. Carolyn Powell 2 Tim 3:10-17 / Luke 1:1-4
	Evensong– 5.00pm	Leader: Simon Isa 61:1-6 / Col 4:7-end
Wednesday 21 October Trinity 20	Holy Communion – 12 Noon	Preacher: Revd. Kate Mier 1 Thess 1:10 / Matt 22:15-22
Sunday 25 October Bible Sunday / Last Sunday of Trinity	Morning Worship – 9.30am	Preacher: Nick Jackson Mark 12:18-34
	Holy Communion – 11.15am	Preacher: Nick Jackson Prov 8:4-11 / Mark 12:18-34
	Evening Prayer – 5.00pm	Leader: Revd Canon Richard Hibbert Eccles ch. 11 & 12 / 2Tim 2:1-7

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To watch our live /recorded services, please subscribe to our YouTube channel: Holy Trinity Coventry.

For your prayers this week:

Pray for:

- J & R, Bible translation work and opportunities to make Christ known.
- Blue Coat School, its staff and students and a flourishing Christian ethos.
- The vacancy on PCC to be filled.
- Choristers (soprano/treble, alto, tenor), and singers/pianists for worship group.
- 'Front of house' assistants / 'Livestream' operators for Sunday Evensong
- Mission and ministry at HTC and Trinity House (church centre)
- Preparations for installing IT Screens (starting mid November)
- Preparations for the All Souls service, and for it to be a time of God's presence.
- Wisdom for Government and right budgetary decisions to be overruled by God.
- Peace and justice to countries/regions affected by war, conflict, disaster.
- Those you know bearing the burden of illness and poor wellbeing

Prayers for Holy Trinity: our Ministry and Mission

God of Mission, who alone brings growth to your Church, send your Holy Spirit to give Vision to our planning, Wisdom to our actions, Joy to our worship, and power to our witness. Help our church to grow in numbers, in spiritual commitment to you, and in service to our city and community, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Video for the Week from Revd Richard: Luke, writer and evangelist.

[Watch here](#)

All Souls Service

(remembering those we love and see no longer)

Sunday, 1st November, 2026 - 5pm

Our annual **All Souls Service** is a quiet and meaningful opportunity to come together to remember, honour and give thanks for those we have loved and lost.

Whether your loss is recent or from many years ago, you are warmly invited to join us as we hold our loved ones in prayer and remembrance. During the service, there will be an opportunity to remember those who have died by name.

If you would like the name of a loved one to be included, please add their name(s) to the sign-up sheet: [All Souls' Service, 2026](#)
or email: **HTCParishmanager** <parishmanager@holytrinitycoventry.org.uk>

All are warmly welcome.

Service of Thanksgiving and Remembrance

Tuesday 10 November at 12.15pm, Holy Trinity church.

Jon Blythe and his family are delighted to welcome those from Holy Trinity who remember his father, Don, as the family gather for a short service to give thanks at the family gravestone in the Garden of Remembrance.

Further details from Revd Richard.

Casual Vacancy on the PCC (church council)

We have one casual vacancy on the PCC until May 2027. If you are interested in being nominated to serve on PCC for a 6-month term until the next Annual Parochial Church meeting in 2027, please could you fill in a nomination form and return to:

PCC Secretary, Keri Husband kerihusband@holytrinitycoventry.org.uk or the Office htoffice@holytrinitycoventry.org.uk by 8th November, 2026.

Nomination forms: available in paper form at the back of church (PCC notices). If you would like to find out more about what the role involves, please speak to the clergy or warden or PCC Secretary (Keri Husband). Applicants need to be member of the church Electoral Roll for a minimum of 6 months.

If we receive more than 2 nominations, a vote will be conducted by current PCC members, as we are between Annual Parochial Church Meetings.

Future HTC services and events

Recital

Loxley Wind quintet
Saturday 24th October at 1pm

Holy Trinity

Free to attend, donations welcomed for new organ

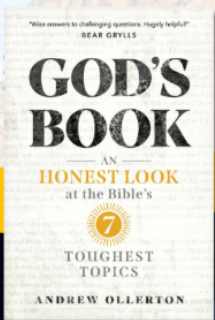
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Coventry Diocesan Evangelical Fellowship (DEF) invite you to:

**MAKING SENSE OF
TOUGH TOPICS IN
THE BIBLE**

An Evening with Dr Andrew Ollerton

Author of



THURSDAY 12 NOVEMBER, 7 PM
ST. PAUL'S, LEAMINGTON (CV32 4TE)

Sign up → stpaulsleamingtonspa.churchsuite.com/events/pgmfiq2n

ADVERT

Roles Holy Trinity Coventry is seeking:

Evening Service – front of house assistant

Arrive early (30 minutes before / welcome arrivals / hand-out & collect back books / take collection / count numbers / ensure tidiness / liaise with vergers & service leader

Evening Service – livestream operator

Arrive before the service and enable the 3 cameras to capture the beauty of this service for our global audience.

Welcome Team – welcoming midweek visitors to our lovely building

2 hour slots: Tuesday to Sunday, between 11am and 3pm. Training offered, trial sessions arranged. Please speak to Nick Jackson or a current welcomer or Revd Richard.

24-7 Prayer movement gathering



This year's prayer gathering is from **Thursday 29 October to Saturday 30 October** in Belfast bringing leaders of prayer rooms from all around the world hearing what the Lord is saying and doing in the nations.

All teaching sessions are livestreamed and free to watch.

Simply book [here](#)

If you're interested in watching with others at Trinity House/Coventry Urban

Monastery, let Carolyne know.

Mission Focus (Oct 2026): J & R

Holy Trinity is one of the two main supporting churches for J & R, who have been our mission partners for more than 30 years. They work in Bible translation in the Middle East, and visit us every 2-3 years when in UK. They were with us over the weekend October 2-4th, meeting the Youth Group on the Friday evening, and preaching at both Sunday morning services. It was a great start to October - Bible-focus month!

For more information contact Nick Jackson (NickJackson@HolyTrinityCoventry.org.uk).

Coventry Foodbank – urgent needs for October 2026:

Urgent Food Items Needed

- **Tinned Items:** Tinned Meat, Tinned Tomatoes, Tinned Fruit
- **Dry Staples:** Rice, Dry Noodles
- **Sauces & Spreads:** Cooking Sauces (such as pasta or curry sauces), Jam
- **Drinks & Dairy:** UHT Long-Life Milk, Soft Drinks (Fruit Juice or Squash only—no fizzy cans or bottled water)

Essential Non-Food Items Needed

- **Toiletries:** Female Toiletries, Male Toiletries (including shampoo and deodorant)
- **Cleaning:** Washing Powder, Home Cleaning Products

Please place in the Foodbank Collection Basket by the church's Welcome Desk.

Donated items must be long-dated and in good condition or will be thrown away.

Every blessing to you,

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